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In re Application of: Weber, et al.

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Title: System and Process for Controlling the Deceleration and Acceleration Rates of a Sheet Material in Forming Absorbent Articles

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	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra		Additional Fee
Total Effective Claims	36	59	0	X \$50 =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	2	4	0	x \$200 =	\$ 0.00
If amendment enters <u>proper</u> multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for <u>first</u> time, add \$290.00 (per application)					\$ 0.00
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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Final Office Action dated May 18, 2006, please amend the  
above captioned application as follows.